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Adrian O. Mapp Mayor

From the Mayor's Office

Understanding your Third Quarter Tax Bills

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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Sometime over the past two weeks you received your third quarter tax bill. Please note that these tax bills were **ESTIMATED** for the 3rd quarter based on the City's Introduced Budget, which totaled \$88,005,023.45, before any cuts and amendments were made. The Adopted Budget approved by the City Council was for a budget totaling \$86,103,663.39. These cuts resulted in a ZERO increase in municipal taxes for the budget year 2020.

Adjustments will be made to the 4th quarter tax bill to reflect the fact that municipal taxes were not increased for 2020. The average assessed value of a Plainfield home is \$107,684. Based on the average assessed value, the 4th quarter municipal tax bill for homeowners will decrease by 10.4% from the 3rd quarter municipal tax bill.

Please understand that there are other factors over which my administration has no control which affect your overall tax bill, i.e., Board of Education and County Taxes. The Municipal taxes as well as County taxes remain unchanged this year, however the Board of Education made a decision to increase taxes for the 2020 calendar year.

Stay safe and may God continue to bless you.

Creating One Plainfield, One Future Sincerely,

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Adrian O. Mapp, Mayor